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Dear Dr. Kaplan:

Thank you for your letter, which arrived here while I was on a trip abroad.

Next time you plan to be in Washington, call my office and let us see if a mutually satisfactory time for a meeting can be arranged.

It was good of you to write.

Sincerely,

Robert S. McNamara

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